

## STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION

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EUGENE A. CONTI, JR. SECRETARY

August 30, 2012

Apple Tuck & Associates, Inc. Mr. David Bare P.O. Box 904 Rutherfordton, NC 28139

Re:

Award Letter

Contract ID:

DN00089

TIP:

BD-5114V

Federal Aid:

BRZ-1356(2)

WBS:

45360.3.22

County:

Location:

Bridge #89 Over Hensons Creek on SR 1356 (Lee Cudd Road)

Description:

Grade, Drain, Pave, Structure

Bid Opening:

August 28, 2012

Dear Mr. Bare:

Apple Tuck & Associates, Inc. is the lowest responsible bidder for the above reference contract. In accordance with the contract document, a payment bond in the amount of \$619,836.45; a performance bond in the amount of \$619,836.45; proof of liability insurance of five million dollars (\$5,000,000.00) and workers compensation insurance must be submitted to this office by Tuesday, September 11, 2012. Also, letters of intent to subcontract from Bullington Construction, South East Group and P & L Erosion Control must be received in this office by Tuesday, September 4, 2012.

The contract availability date for the contract is September 24, 2012 but no later than March 18, 2013. Failure to meet the above deadlines does not justify extension of the contract completion date. The contract will be administered from the District Engineer's Office in Mills River, North Carolina. After receipt of the certified copy of the executed purchase order contract. please contact Mr. Steve Cannon at (828) 891-7911 to inform him of when you intend to begin work and arrange for any pre construction conference. All pay requests and any other forms required by the contract will be submitted to his office at 4142 Haywood Road, Mills River NC 28742.

Thank you for your desire to do business with North Carolina Department of Transportation. Should you have any questions about the above requirement, please contact me at (828) 586-2141.

Sincerely,

Wanda H. Austin

Wanda H. Austin, PE Proposals Engineer